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up-to-date map of Europe.**BIG TASK OF ORGANIZING NAVAL
RESERVE UNDERTAKEN BY OFFICERS**Navy Department Strongly In Sympathy With Plan to Build
Up Organization of Veterans for Service on Short Notice
—Admiral Victor Blue Explains Method

BY C. S. ALBERT.

Special Star Bulletin Correspondent
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 21.
The work of organizing a naval reserve, numbering 25,000 experienced men, has been undertaken by the officials of the navy department. It is proposed that this number of seasoned men may be called to the colors with in 24 hours' notice if the country should be confronted with a crisis.

In taking this step the law which became operative March 2 is being carried out. It is intended to vigorously push the campaign for enrollment until the estimated number have offered their services.

The opinion is expressed by naval authorities that within six months they will have the "civilian navy" established as a reality and that the country thereafter may have no fear that its floating defenses will be short of men to handle the ships and the guns.

The reserve is to be composed of men who have had excellent records in the navy during the last eight years and who have been honorably discharged. In other words, it will represent the cream of the men who have gone out of the service during the last few years.

Charges have been made repeatedly that the present navy is at least 15,000 men short; that the Atlantic reserve fleet which is now out of commission could not be used in the case of war and that the navy is in a precarious condition because of this shortage. The reserve is expected to meet this situation without incurring the expenses that would be added to the nation's budget if 25,000 additional sailors were added to the service.

Each sailor in the service costs Uncle Sam approximately \$600 a year so that 25,000 new men would cost \$15,000,000.

The reserve system will be operated at a nominal cost and officers insist that the experienced men will be of more value to the navy in time of actual war than so many younger men.

Plan is Explained.

The following extracts from a letter just sent out by Admiral Victor Blue explain in detail the new plan:

"There will be organizations of the reserve in every community where there are two or more members. They will be required to report at a designated place in their own community once each quarter for muster and inspection and to sign pay roll. Failure to so report will cause forfeiture of pay."

"Calling them into active service on board ship for drills and exercises is optional with the department. When so called they will receive travel and subsistence and full pay of their ratings."

"It is the intention, in this regard, to ascertain and suit the convenience of the men as far as practicable as to the time of such active service, as is done in the case of the naval militia."

"Due consideration will be given to the occupation of the man and its requirement of his services."

"Read carefully the act and note the following:

"(1) You must be a citizen of the United States."

"(2) Your last discharge must have been honorable to enable you to join the reserve."

"(3) If you decide to join the reserve within four months from date of discharge your pay will be \$30 per annum if you have served 4 years in the navy or for a minority enlistment \$60 if you have served 8 years, and \$100 if you have served 12 years."

"(4) If you serve 16 or 20 years in the navy you can be virtually retired on 1.3 or 1.2 pay."

"(5) If you re-enlist in the navy your previous service will count to give you these advantages."

"As you know, men usually get to be chief petty officers before they have 16 or 20 years' service, and their pay in the reserve would run from \$35 to \$50 or more per month."

"(6) If you join the reserve after four months and within eight years from date of discharge your pay will be \$12 per annum, and you will get an outfit of uniform when first called into active service. You can, however, increase this pay by serving another enlistment in the navy, and then enlisting in the reserve within four months from date of expiration of such enlistment. In this connection remember that all your previous naval service counts in figuring out the pay you will receive."

"(7) Men in the reserve will be given a distinctive badge or button indicating their membership in the reserve as well as their honorable service in the navy."

"(8) When called into active service

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Comedy.....Vitaphone

**ADMIRAL URU
MAY BE ELECTED
MAYOR OF TOKIO**

Admiral Baron Uru, who is now on route from Seattle to Japan, having been sent home from his duties as vice-consul-general at San Francisco on account of ill health, will be elected Mayor of Tokio upon his arrival April 22. This is the latest word received by the Nippon Jiji from its Tokio correspondent.

The office of mayor has been vacant since January, when Mayor Baron Sakakini resigned as a result of his failure to consolidate the municipal electric plants. Several candidates have been considered, including some of the most influential men in the Japanese capital. Opinion, however, has been so divided that it will be impossible to elect a successor to the municipal chair until a national hero like Admiral Uru expresses his willingness to accept the office.

**FAREWELL DANCE GIVEN
FOR FRANCIS M'TIGHE**

Francis M'Tighe was tendered a farewell social and dance at his home in Young street Monday evening prior to his departure for the cable station at Midway island. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Balester, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stahl, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Haines, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff, Mr. and Mrs. I. Scharlin, Mr. and Mrs. Dye, Mrs. and Miss Henny, Miss Wilhelmina Strauch, Miss Troutner, Miss Marion Kennedy, Miss Violet Smith, Miss N. M'Tighe and Messrs Charles Sleeper, A. Walker, T. Deese, L. E. Myers, C. A. Rickard, Ross Dwyer and H. Pfeiffer.

The New York assembly passed the Thorn bill, intended to permit employers to make advance payments to employees in settlement of injury claims under the workmen's compensation law.

**PARADISE TOURS
TO BRING PROFS.
FROM MAINLAND**

Under the auspices of the Paradise Tours a large party of professors from eastern colleges is coming to Hawaii about the middle of July and will spend one month in the islands studying Hawaiian geology and natural history.

George H. Barton, director of the Teachers' School of Science, Boston, is to lead the party which will be made up as soon as the school year is over. The present plans are to visit Yellowstone park, then the exposition at San Francisco and land in Hawaii in mid-July for one week's scientific survey on each of the four large islands. This itinerary will land the scientists back at their faculty posts in time for the fall term.

PRACTICAL WORK FOR HAWAII

New York, Feb. 19, 1915.

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Your esteemed favor of the 17th instant together with a copy of the PANAMA CANAL NUMBER of the "Honolulu Star-Bulletin" have been received. Please accept my cordial thanks for your courtesy in the matter.

IT HAS AFFORDED ME GREAT PLEASURE TO LOOK OVER A PUBLICATION SO REplete WITH EVERYTHING PERTAINING TO HAWAII AND ITS INTERESTS GENERALLY.

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That Hawaii is ever a source of inspiration is strongly emphasized by the splendid publication you have been good enough to send me, to the owners of which, should occasion offer, I beg you to extend my congratulations and best wishes.

Very truly yours;

(Sgd.) JNO. J. D. TRENOR.

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Many thanks to you for the Supplement of the "Honolulu Star-Bulletin" which reached me this morning.

I have had no chance to go over it carefully, BUT A GLANCE SHOWS me that it must be a most interesting book, and I am sure I will enjoy it very much.

Yours very truly,

(Sgd.) O. J. PETERSEN.

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